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Brinks Hofer Case 10022/111-1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

VICKI ST. JOHN

Serial No.: 09/387,195

Filing Date: August 31, 1999

For A VOICE RECOGNITION SYSTEM
FOR NAVIGATING ON THE
INTERNET

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Examiner: Armstrong, Angela A.

Group Art Unit No.: 2626

**ESTABLISHING RIGHT OF ASSIGNEE
TO PROSECUTE UNDER 37 CFR § 3.73(b)**

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b), I enclose a copy of an assignment of United States Patent Application Serial No. 09/387,195 from the inventor to Andersen Consulting, LLP, that occurred on November 16, 1999. The assignment was filed on November 17, 1999 to be recorded at the United States Patent and Trademark Office. The assignment to Andersen Consulting, LLP was recorded on November 24, 1999 at the United States Patent and Trademark Office and is located at reel 010390, frames 0977-0979. The assignment recorded on November 24, 1999 assigns all rights in the invention disclosed in United States Patent Application Serial No. 09/387,195. A copy of the above-mentioned assignment is provided herewith. A name change of Andersen Consulting,

LLP to Accenture LLP was recorded on April 12, 2001 at the United States Patent and Trademark Office and is located at reel 011657, frames 0101-0104. A copy of the above-mentioned recordal of name change document is provided herewith.

It is my belief that no other assignment of United States Patent Application Serial No. 09/387,195 has occurred from November 16, 1999 to the filing of this Right to Prosecute paper.

In view of the above statements, I submit that the right of the assignee to prosecute the above-captioned application has been shown under 37 CFR § 3.73(b). Furthermore, the undersigned is empowered to act on behalf of the assignee as shown by the enclosed copy of the Power of Attorney for U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/387,195.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true, and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further, that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001, Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

Respectfully submitted,



John C. Freeman
Attorney for Assignee – Accenture LLP

Date: January 16, 2008

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1. Name of conveying party(ies)

a) Vicki St. John

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

a) Name: Andersen Consulting, LLP
Address: 1661 Page Mill Road
Palo Alto, California 94306

3. Nature of conveyance



Assignment



Security Agreement



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Change of Name



License Agreement

Execution Date: November 16, 1999

4. Application Number(s) or Patent Number(s): 09/387,195

The title of the application is:

**SYSTEM, METHOD AND ARTICLE OF MANUFACTURE FOR A VOICE RECOGNITION SYSTEM
FOR NAVIGATING ON THE INTERNET UTILIZING AUDIBLE INFORMATION**

5. Please send all correspondence concerning this (these) documents to:

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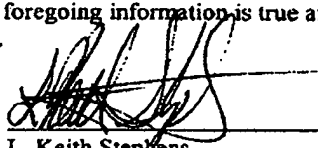
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8. To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

Date: November 17, 1999


L. Keith Stephens
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Attorney Docket No. AND1P096/AC990053

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PATENT
REEL: 010390 FRAME: 0977

ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT APPLICATION

(Not Accompanying Application)

Whereas I/we the undersigned inventor(s) have invented certain new and useful improvements as set forth in the patent application entitled:

SYSTEM, METHOD AND ARTICLE OF MANUFACTURE FOR VOICE RECOGNITION SYSTEM FOR NAVIGATING ON THE INTERNET UTILIZING AUDIBLE INFORMATION

for which I (we) have executed an application for a United States Letters Patent which was filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on August 31, 1999, and which bears the Application No. 09/387,195.

For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, I/we the undersigned inventor(s) hereby:

- 1) Sell(s), assign(s) and transfer(s) to Andersen Consulting, LLP, a Delaware corporation having a place of business at 1661 Page Mill Road, Palo Alto, California 94304, (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE"), the entire right title and interest in any and all improvements and inventions disclosed in, application(s) based upon, and Patent(s) (including foreign patents) granted upon the information which is disclosed in the above referenced application.
- 2) Authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue any and all Letters Patents resulting from said application or any division(s), continuation(s), substitutes(s) or reissue(s) thereof to the ASSIGNEE.
- 3) Agree to execute all papers and documents and, entirely at the ASSIGNEE's expense, perform any acts which are reasonably necessary in connection with the prosecution of said application, as well as any derivative and applications thereof, foreign applications based thereon, and/or the enforcement of patents resulting from such applications.
- 4) Agree that the terms, covenants and conditions of this assignment shall inure to the benefit of the Assignee, its successors, assigns and other legal representative, and shall be binding upon the inventor(s), as well as the inventor's heirs, legal representatives and assigns.
- 5) Warrant and represent that I/we have not entered, and will not enter into any assignment, contract, or understanding that conflicts with this assignment.

Signed on the date(s) indicated beside my (our) signature(s).

1) Signature: Vicki St John Date: 11/16/99
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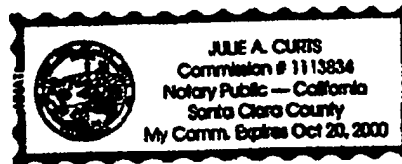
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On this 16th day of November, in the year 1999, before me,
Julie A. Curtis, Notary Public, personally appeared Vicki St. John, personally known to me (or
proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within
instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same in his/her authorized capacity(ies), and
that by his/her signature on the instrument the person, or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted,
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WITNESS my hand and official seal.

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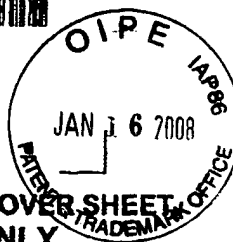
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To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document. Charges to deposit account are authorized, as indicated herein.

David W. Okey

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David W. Okey
Signature

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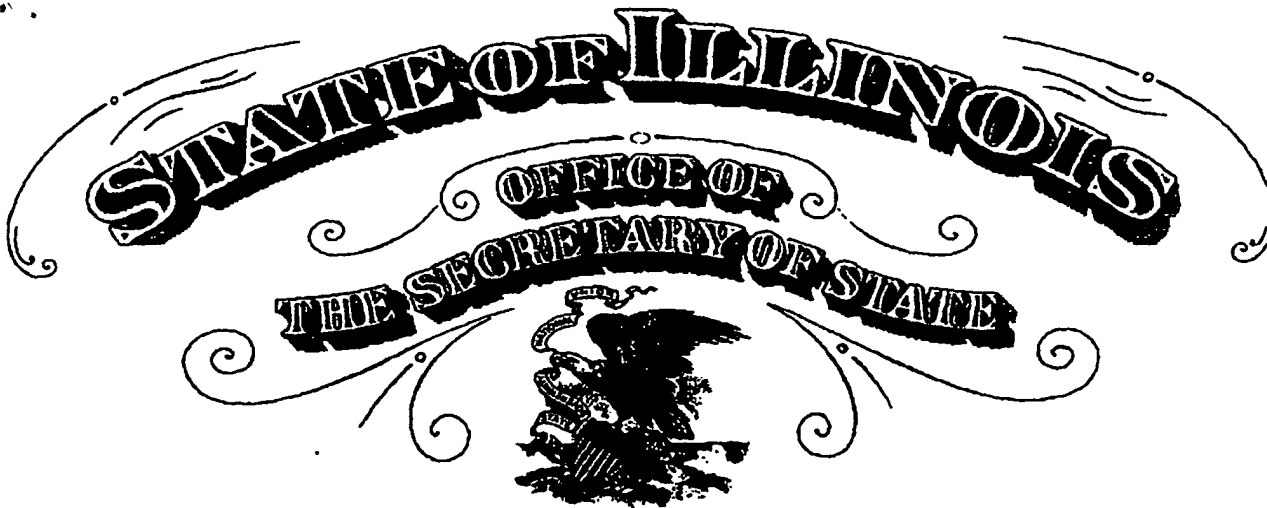
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To all to whom these Presents Shall Come, Greeting:

I, Jesse White, Secretary of State of the State of Illinois, do hereby certify that

ACCENTURE LLP,
HAVING REGISTERED IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS ON SEPTEMBER 1, 1994.
(REGISTERED LIMITED LIABILITY PARTNERSHIP NAME CHANGED FROM
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ILLINOIS.*****



*In Testimony Whereof, I, hereto set
my hand and cause to be affixed the Great Seal of
the State of Illinois, this 12TH
day of JANUARY A.D. 2001.*

Jesse White

SECRETARY OF STATE

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned duly authorized representative of Accenture LLP, a limited liability partnership, hereby revokes all previously granted powers of attorney in the above-identified patent application and appoints the following attorneys and agents to prosecute this patent application and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith:

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The undersigned duly authorized representative of Accenture LLP also authorizes and empowers the Brinks Hofer Gilson & Lione attorneys and agents named above to accept and follow instructions from Wayne P. Sobon, Robert S. Gorman, John F. Rollins, Earl D. Brown, Jr., or Vicki St. John as to any action to be taken in the United States Patent & Trademark Office regarding this application, without conferring with the undersigned or any other representative of Accenture LLP, and to execute a Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b) on behalf of Accenture LLP to establish its right to take action as an assignee for the above-identified patent application.

☒ A Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is attached.

Signature: Douglas G. Scrivner

Name: Douglas G. Scrivner, Esq.

Title: General Counsel and Secretary of Accenture LLP

Signed at: 1661 Page Mill Road, Palo Alto, CA 94304 on this 7th day of April, 2001.

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